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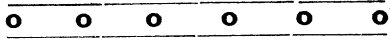
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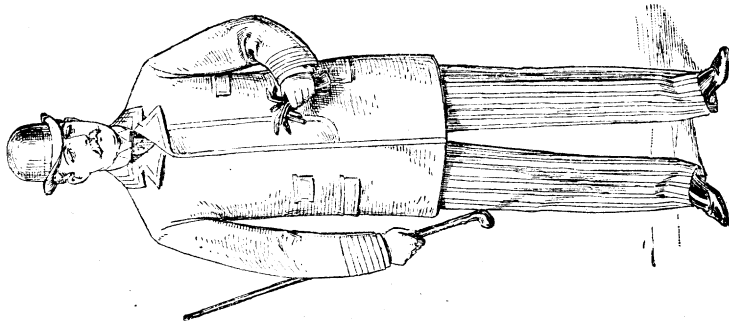
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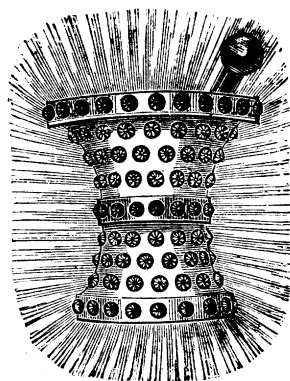
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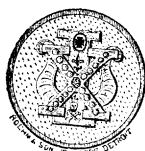
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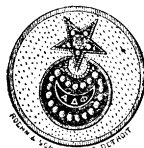
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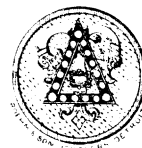
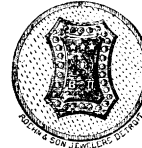


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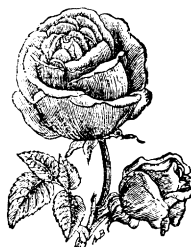
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WE notice in The Stentor of the Lake Forest University serious complaints made on account of the non-union, non-cooperation of the various departments of that University. This want of united effort and a strong central feeling for the University as a whole, is due largely to the separation of the various departments; the literary department located at Lake Forest, and the law and medical departments at Chicago. The Stentor says, "Probably not one student in ten in the Chicago law school, or the Rush medical college, knows that he is in any way connected with the Lake Forest University."

This is certainly an undesirable state of affairs for the development of a strong, loyal university spirit. We may well be thankful that our University has not pursued this policy, and that all the departments have been kept here, notwithstanding the strong arguments made at different times for the removal of one or more of them to Detroit. The advantages accruing from the helpful and inspiring influences of each department upon all the others are ours, as one united university. A student here does not feel

himself to be a member merely of the law or medical school, but he considers himself a student, in every sense, of the University of Michigan. May this united feeling and effort continue forever!

COLLEGES and college athletics continue to receive attention from the different magazine writers. The November number of *Outing*, contains an illustrated article on "Athletics at Williams," and also one by Walter Camp entitled "Foot-ball Studies for Captain and Coach." The latter article will be read with special interest by all Michigan men inasmuch as all the illustrations used, are cuts made from photographs taken of our rugby players of two years ago.

IN the announcement for the field day exercises which are to take place Nov. 8, we are glad to note the change of policy on the part of the directors in regard to the entries. As we all know, last year our competing lists were open to all amateurs who desired to enter, and as a natural result our own men took few prizes. This was due to the fact, that our advantages for athletic training are so poor, compared with other institutions, that our men were either afraid to enter or were too heavily handicapped when they did enter, to have any prospect of success. For the present, the only way to keep up an interest in track athletics in the University, is to bar out all outsiders. Still it is to be hoped, that the time is not far distant, when by reason of our fine athletic field and our ample gymnasium, our lists may be open to all comers and our men win their share of the prizes.

THE fact that the class of '94 contains some exceptionally good material for athletics has been clearly shown by her work on the 'Varsity Eleven, and by the victories of her own Eleven. She stands a very fair chance of coming out ahead in the Rugby games, and even in the great tug of war contest, '94 will make a hard fight for victory. Her prospects for success in the athletic field are certainly promising, and if all goes well, '94

should gain for herself as great honor and reputation in this line as the renowned class of '90.

SURELY no complaint can be made for want of interest in the student's welfare on the part of the various churches of Ann Arbor. The numerous socials given by the different societies of the churches to the S. C. A., and the students in general, promote a further acquaintanceship with one another, and develop a social and brotherly feeling among all. The learned lectures delivered from time to time by our own professors, and by men of note from abroad are special intellectual treats for everyone. The numerous guilds furnish especial advantages to their members in the way of libraries, current literature, lectures and entertainments. In the near future the Tappan and Wesleyan Guilds will have suitable structures completed similar to the commodious building of the Hobart Guild. And for these excellent facilities for the promotion of our physical, intellectual, and spiritual faculties, our sincere thanks are due to the people of the churches of our fair city. We as students, during the short time we are here, should show our appreciation for these advantages by a more active and helpful interest in the society to which we belong.

THE PHILOLOGICAL SOCIETY.

The first regular meeting of the Philological Society was held in Room E last Thursday evening. The meeting was called to order promptly at 7:15 by Professor D'Ooge, director for this year. A communication was read from the Phonetic Branch of the Modern Language Association, requesting all who are interested, to aid them in a classification of the American dialects, a branch in which no systematic or scholarly work has been done. After some further discussion of other subjects the paper of the evening was read by Professor Hempl, "On the Change of Middle English close o to Modern English open o." This paper discussed and commented upon, the regular meeting adjourned and a short business session was held, at which several new members were elected. It is the intention of the society to hold a meeting every other Thursday, beginning with this week,

and to begin proceedings at 7:15 sharp. The first fifteen or twenty minutes is to be devoted to the discussion of linguistic subjects of interest, to be called "Notes and Queries." It was suggested that short reviews be given by the various members of the current numbers of philological journals and of any new books which may appear in this line. After this a paper will be read by some member of the society, and as soon as this has been read and discussed the meeting will adjourn, in order to give time for study or reading. It is intended that each member of the society read a paper on a philological topic during the year. At the next meeting of the society a paper will be read by Mr. Belser relating to Assyrian philology.

THE PHILOSOPHICAL SOCIETY.

Last Tuesday evening, in Room A, was held the first meeting this college year of the Philosophical Society. There was not more than a moderate audience present to listen to an able and interesting paper by Professor Hinsdale on "The Historical Method." A brief outline of the history and application of "this greatest contribution of the nineteenth century to human knowledge" was given, and objections to its use in the historical sciences were answered. After some discussion of the subject, the regular meeting adjourned and a business session was held. Reports of committees were listened to and a new secretary-treasurer was elected.

The officers of the club at present are: President, Professor Dewey; vice president, Professor Hinsdale; secretary and treasurer, Robert Holland; executive committee, Professors Hinsdale and Scott, and Mr. Rebec. The membership fee, which is merely nominal, is twenty-five cents for the college year.

Arrangements are being made to have Mr. Johnson, editor of a Philosophical Journal in St. Louis, deliver a lecture before the society at an early date, this matter, as also that of a regular meeting night, being left to the executive committee. The choice of Tuesday evening this week was unfortunate, as the Choral Union met the same night. Arrangements will probably be made with the other societies so that particular evenings in each month will be permanently set aside for

each society. It is plainly very much to the interest of all lovers of philosophy to become members of this club and take part in its proceedings, and to all such is a cordial invitation extended.

THE LECTURE ASSOCIATION.

Announcements of the S. L. A. course for 1890-'91 have been distributed and are well worth the careful perusal of everyone. The board has spared no pains or expense to secure the very best and the list of attractions shows how well they have succeeded. No name appears on the list but what has attained almost world wide reputation. Stanley of course will draw best but the other entertainments will be unusually fine.

In this connection it may not be out of place to call the attention of the new students to the aim of the present board and what has been accomplished in the past. For several years the Association have furnished all the magazines taken in the library, so when you are enjoying your favorite periodical in the reading room you are doing so because of the generosity of the Lecture Association.

For several years a reading room was supported by the Association in the north room of the north wing of the main building; this had to be given up for a recitation room. Last year the association advertised that its profits would be given to swell the gym. fund. As a result of the season's course \$900 was turned over to President Angell for this purpose.

This season the Lecture Association, besides furnishing a course much more expensive than ever before, propose to furnish the periodicals for the library and to give all money over and above expenses to the gym.

Every purchaser of a ticket thus really contributes to three ends, he provides himself the means of enjoying the course, aids the library to supply the current periodicals, and helps on the gymnasium.

It is very seldom that two dollars can be made to accomplish so much or be so profitably spent.

Mr. Tufts gave his class in psychology a written quiz yesterday.

ALL HALLOWS EVE.

Last evening was no exception to the annual festivities of All Hallows Eve. The time honored customs were once more revived in all their glory. Old stories of the valiant deeds of former classmen on this memorable evening inspired many a faltering heart with the desire to emulate the example of his predecessors. Last night long before the midnight hour, the air was ringing with various yells and cries, from the squeak of the freshman to the bellow of the law and medic. The laws gathered in force, and with very much noise marched to the rink, where the political speech of the evening was in progress. Next they visited the opera house, but here they were refused admittance. After much wrangling they returned to the campus where all the various clans met for their final war dance around the memorial Hallowe'en bon-fire. Alas! not this time did the old campus fence contribute to the flames. That is one of the things of the past and is the theme of many a weird tale of upper classman and alumnus. But last night means were provided for the fire, and the campus shone forth as gloriously as at any previous celebration. General rushes were indulged in, but nothing serious. After much yelling, blowing of tin horns and a beating of tin cans, the motley assembly gradually broke up at an early hour this morning, each man carrying away some relic as a memorial of the noisy Hallowe'en of 1890.

To one interested in the questions of Constitutional Government in this country, the discussion of the "Veto Power" in the *Harvard Historical Monographs* will be found of much value. The writer treats of the origin of the veto power, tracing it back to the powers possessed by the nobles in the *Witenagemot*. He then takes up the function and development of the veto power in the United States, showing how and in what instances it has affected the territorial, financial and commercial powers of the government. The appendices will be found of much value, too, to the historical student, containing as they do complete lists of all the presidential vetoes, down to the close of President Cleveland's administration.

ASSOCIATIONS IN THE U. OF M.

The recent appointment of a committee on constitution and membership by the Political Science Association is believed to aim at radical changes, and to mark a turning point in the history of associated endeavor in the U. of M. Its importance is therefore manifest. For this is pre-eminently an age of associations and conventions; and in this University, instinct with modern life above all others, the child of the age no less than of the ages, this tendency is necessarily powerful. Of this, the number, variety, and scope of those in the literary department alone, is proof sufficient. Glance over the list.

First, are the Alpha Nu and Adelphi, representatives of the old-time college literary society of ante-bellum days of the south, in which giants like Webster and Clay received their first training. It was the outgrowth of conditions and stood for needs, in part, peculiar to that time of exclusive ecclesiastical domination in higher education, of narrow courses of work laid down by authority, and of routine memorizing as the highest aim of teachers. The great need was for a chance to be spontaneous, to exercise reason, to sharpen the mind and train the tongue by discussion; as well as to appreciate literature as literature, and not as mere grammatical grind. To fill these wants, the old-time society was born, and now, though conditions have changed, and its glory has departed; though part of its functions are taken by advanced classes, especially the seminaries, and others by college papers; yet nothing has arisen to take its place in filling the greatest need of all—that for practice in extempore debate. Hence it is that colleges are not as of old, the nurseries of orators: hence, also, the present need for more members and more enthusiasm in the societies, and for more societies of the old type. To help meet this want the modern oratorical associations have come into existence. They are valuable in that they stimulate speaking—but only from memory, not extempore. Therefore to flourish, an oratorical association must be backed by strong, affiliated literary societies: the former supplying the stimulus, and the latter the actual practice, for the training of orators.

The next class of societies includes the Choral

Union, and Glee and Dramatic Clubs. As their objects are definite, and their attainment requires a rigid standard of ability rigidly applied, the resulting community of taste, ability, and interest insures that *sine qua non* of associated action—*esprit du corps*.

The third class of societies includes the Engineering, Chemical, Mathematical, Philosophical, Philological, Geological, and the Political Science Association.

Their common name is, *Technical*. Each is and must be a club of those versed in some special subject, and the discussions are unmeaning if not bewildering to the uninitiated. They are thus outgrowths of,—and their only aim must be to render more effective and complete,—that differentiation and specialization of work wherein lies the real power of a modern university.

This fact has been long overlooked. The clubs, forgetful of the limitations imposed by their aim; have endeavored to carry on the open, free for all traditions of the old-time literary society. In shunning exclusiveness, they have sacrificed unity, have sacrificed that community of knowledge and interest without which all *esprit du corps*, and consequently all enthusiasm and success, is impossible. Nothing chills a speaker, or chokes off all intelligent discussion, as does a mixed and largely unappreciative, because uninitiated, audience. And here, as usual, the exception proves the rule. The Engineering Society, indeed, flourishes like a tree planted by the rivers of water but only because it has *esprit du corps*, i. e., is rarely embarrassed by the presence of those unable to appreciate the papers and take part in the discussions.

Of late, however, the feeling has grown that the wide-open policy is a mistake, destructive of efficiency, and that unity upon the basis of a certain amount of technical knowledge is the first necessity. For example, the Chemical Society has, we believe, limited membership to those who have taken a certain amount of chemistry: the Philological Society intend shutting down on mixed audiences in order to get appreciative audiences: and finally, the Political Science Association, while unsettled as to details, seems determined to limit membership to those well versed in Political Science. In this way it is hoped to

stimulate interest, active discussion and original work; to raise the grade of work till it is an honor to belong to the Society, and an especial honor to read a paper before it; and so to increase the efficiency of the School of Political Science in the University, to further the cause of Political Science in general, and to extend the influence of the University in this most vital of all nineteenth century subjects.

In order the better to accomplish this, it is proposed by some to make the association the center of work in Political Science, not in the University alone, but throughout the state; to do this by admitting to membership alumni and others noted in Political Science; to induce original investigators to present their results, first of all before the Association; and so to stimulate original research by affording an opportunity to present results to an appreciative audience. Of course, to offer the greatest inducements, and to make the influence of the association felt throughout the land, its proceedings should be regularly published; and for this reason also, alumni and others interested in Political Science should be taken into the association, in order to secure the necessary publication fund.

Such is a brief outline of the plan as presented to the committee of the Political Science Association. What action will be taken, we cannot say. But the plan cannot be too heartily commended. Every lover of the University, everyone who desires to see her lead in original investigation, in real scholarship, as she now does in imparting the results of such scholarship, should put his shoulder to the wheel and see to it that the plan goes through.

MR. POWERS' METHOD EXPLAINED.

Mr. Powers opens his performance by giving the audience a short description or explanation of the story and plot of the play and the characters to be represented. Then, as if the curtain had risen upon the first act, he proceeds to impersonate the character who appears first in the scene, then when the cue arrives for the next character he instantly and completely changes to that character, and to another and another as they come on, and

carries on the action and the dialogue as if all the people represented were actually before the eyes of the audience; and so completely and instantaneously does he change his face, voice, carriage, and whole bodily appearance to suit each character as he takes it, that the illusion is perfect, and this too without any change of costume.

The exceeding novelty of such a performance, and the perfection and entire absence of effort with which he accomplishes what would seem an impossible undertaking, has won for Mr. Powers the renown of standing alone and unapproachable in his peculiar and fascinating art. After all is said no person will fully understand the rare charm of this wonderful performance until he has witnessed it.

LITERARY NOTES.

Prof. Winchell has an article in the November *Forum* on "Recent Views about Glaciers."

Mr. F. G. Atwood, the widely known cartoonist, began his permanent connection with the *Chicago America* in its issue of October 16. In a clever, instructive cartoon he represents Napoleon McKinley driving away the commerce of the world, while forty centuries look down upon the performance with amazement. Mr. Atwood's cartoons will alternate with others by Frank P. W. Bellew (Chip), who has also been engaged to draw regularly for America, an arrangement which will add strength and variety to its cartoon department.

Fred Sizelin, dent. '90 is visiting old friends at the Delta Sigma Delta house this week.

Miss Harriet L. Taylor, of Bay City, is attending the School Masters' club and visiting old Ann Arbor friends.

Frederick D. Sherman, '87, now principal of the Bay City high school, is visiting at the Beta Theta Pi house.

A student's musical abilities are never so fully displayed as on all Halloween, when the air becomes vocal with serenaders.

ABOUT COLLEGE.

Prof. Steere leads the Chapel exercises to-morrow.

Harry Buckley was visited by his father last week.

'92 met and adjourned this morning without an election.

L. B. Trumbull has gone home to remain till after the election.

The boards will be open for Powers next Thursday morning.

Slight repairs are being made on the stucco facing of the main building.

Prof. D'Ooge lectures this evening in Detroit in the People's Lecture Course.

Have you noticed that the clock on the library has a brilliant face after dusk?

Sunshine is at a premium these days, or rather would be if any were to be had.

Prof. Hinsdale read a paper before the Philosophical Society Tuesday evening.

The Adelphi society will not meet this evening owing to the Choral Union concert.

Misses Katie Jacobs and Carrie Ball are pursuing their study of music in Vienna.

Kappa Kappa Gamma celebrated Hallowe'en in a most pleasant manner last evening.

Misses Fairchild and Barker were entertained by Miss Ruby and Miss Barnby yesterday and to-day.

Rev. Gelston's subject for to-morrow evening at the Presbyterian church is "The Second Day of Creation."

The independents of '91 have organized their Castalian board with W. E. Healy, as Managing Editor, Hudson Sheldon, Business Manager, and Miss Cook, Secretary.

Miss Gertrude Friepman, of Detroit, has been visiting with her friend Miss Genevieve Cornwall for the past week in Ann Arbor. She expects to enter the University next semester.

Thursday evening the second meeting of the Woman's League was held in the chapel. The objects of the organization were re-explained by Mrs. Gayley Brown, for the benefit of the new comers, and the following officers were chosen: President, Miss Fountain; Secretary, Miss Rogers; Treasurer, Miss Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed and Miss Parmer, of East Saginaw are the guests of Dr. Darling.

Miss Mabel Holmes, '94, entertained her sister and Miss Edith Van Syckle yesterday.

Miss Penny, '90, spent to-day at home. She teaches in the East Saginaw high school.

Goddard, '89, was in town to-day to attend the schoolmasters' club, as was H. M. Frost, '90.

There will be no meeting of Alpha Nu to-night because of the concert by Miss Aus der Ohe.

"Topology" was the subject of a discussion before the Engineering Society last night, by Prof. Ziwet.

Read "David Copperfield" so as to more fully enjoy yourself next Saturday evening with Mr. Powers.

Hallowe'en was observed with appropriate ceremonies at the Gamma Phi Beta house last evening.

The young ladies of Sorosis entertained in a most charming way last evening in honor of Hallowe'en.

Prof. Carhart was in Chicago the fore part of this week on business for the electrical engineering department.

A dozen prospective freshman for next year from East Saginaw might have been seen on the campus yesterday.

Mr. Ed. Roehm was in town last Saturday looking to the interests of his firm, the popular Roehm & Son, of Detroit.

The Republican Club met last night in the law lecture room. "The Silver Question" was discussed by F. A. Henry.

Among the ladies, tickets for the Choral Union can be gotten of Miss Bancker, Miss Goble, Miss Elder and Miss Crosby.

The reappearance of the cape overcoat reminds us that winter is fast approaching, with Thanksgiving and the holidays.

Professor Taylor will give his class in finance a quiz next Tuesday and Thursday on the lectures given thus far this semester.

"The Womans' League of the U. of M. is the name decided upon for the new organization of ladies connected with the University.

Considerable interest is being shown in the approaching elections in this state, and in adjoining states. Quite a number will go home to vote.

The Michigan School Masters' Club was in session to-day at the University.

Prof. W. H. Pettee addressed the Geological Society yesterday afternoon, his subject being, "Notes on the Geological surveys of the U. S.

Prof. J. B. Steere was called away two days, Tuesday and Wednesday, by the death of his father, whose home has been near Grand Rapids.

Bishop Andrews, who preached for the Wesleyan Guild in the M. E. church last Sunday night, spent Monday in seeing the sights of our campus.

A sociable was given last night by the Young People's Society of the Baptist church to the S. C. A. and to all students of the University and High school.

At the '94 Lit.-'92 Dent. rugby game Wednesday afternoon the freshmen brought out their class yell. Like that of '93 it has a decided resemblance to the University yell.

Lecture Association tickets have been on sale during the past week by the officers and committees. Seats will be reserved at the post office news stand and at Moore and Taber's book store.

There was a meeting in the ladies' reading room this morning, where preliminary steps were taken for the reorganization of the fruit and flower mission, which did such good work last year.

Last evening at the Unitarian church an organ recital was given by Prof. Stanley, assisted by Miss Ethel Fountain. The program consisted of seven numbers, all of which were thoroughly enjoyed.

Rumor has it that "Jack, the hair cutter," who has been receiving so many press notices in Detroit lately, is actually in Ann Arbor, and that one of the high school girls was shorn of her tresses by him the other day.

A pleasant reception was given the Hobart Guild Thursday evening in Harris Hall, to the Episcopal students in the University. About seventy-five couples were present. Music, dancing and refreshments were the order of the evening.

The Methodist church was filled to its utmost capacity last Sunday evening on the occasion of the first lecture of the Wesleyan Guild series for this year. Bishop Andrews, of New York City delivered the address, taking for his theme the life of Jesus Christ.

It is really too bad that so fine a building as Newberry Hall should remain unfinished and closed, and because of the want of a few funds to complete it.

After a strong discussion, Tuesday night, as to the advisability of admitting students holding degrees, to the Oratorical contests, the Association adjourned without changing the former arrangement; by which no student holding a degree can be a contestant.

President Angell wishes it to be understood that the report published in the Detroit papers this week to the effect that the regents had again formally asked an appropriation from the legislature for a gymnasium, is unfounded. The regents have taken no such action.

A Kentucky club of fourteen members was organized last week with the following officers: President, Thomas Roger Jones, medic, '91; vice-president, Joseph Clement Hearne, pharmonic, '91; secretary, John Stewart Williams Holloway, law, '92; treasurer, J. G. Wells.

Prof. W. W. Beman desires us to announce that a meeting of persons interested in the teaching of pure and applied mathematics will be held at the residence of Professor Harrington on Thursday evening, Nov. 6, at 7:30 p. m., for the purpose of organizing a Mathematical Society.

The junior pharmics held their first meeting, Friday, Oct. 17th. The following officers were elected for the year: President, T. E. Robinson; vice-president, Miss Hurd; secretary, Richard Fisher; treasurer, W. A. Kelly; foot-ball, Capt. J. G. Warner; base-ball, Capt. E. A. Grochan.

The fall games of the N. A. A.—presumably the Normal Athletic Association—were announced for this afternoon, on the Ypsilanti fair grounds. The games include seventeen events. One thing must strike the University student at once, and convince him that Ypsilanti is way, way behind the times—the admission price is advertised a 10 cents.

The enrollment is now 2,287, distributed as follows: Literary, 1,066; Law, 537; Medical, 384; Pharmacy, 93; Dental, 133; Homœopathic, 74; It maintains its increase proportionately with that announced a fortnight since, over the attendance of last year, and will easily reach the 2,500 mark before the Calendar appears.

Henry J. Frost, pharmic, '89, has just opened one of the neatest drug stores in East Saginaw.

The Choral Union has now on its rolls 233 active members, the full limit of membership. All applicants who pass the examination now are enrolled on a "waiting list" and will be entered in active membership as fast as vacancies occur. Prof. de Pont says that two or three first tenors are wanted and desires to have applications from such singers. The Union makes its first public appearance this season in November at the annual meeting of the Y. M. C. A., on a date not yet determined.

In speaking of the late purchase of athletic grounds and the general prospects for athletics in the University, Prof. de Pont said yesterday that he thought it a great misfortune that the old Athletic Association had been allowed to die. His idea was that the full measure of success can only be attained by a unification of the various branches of athletics and by a more thorough harmony in policy and action. He suggested that an athletic association be formed for the general oversight and control of this important phase of college life, and that the executive board include one or more members of the University faculty. Subordinate to this general board the foot-ball, the base ball and the tennis interests could each have a board of directors, in whom should be vested the practical management of the teams. Prof. de Pont, continuing, said that the gym. fund now amounted to about \$5,000, well invested and bearing interest, but that the principal could not be used until it had reached the sum of \$20,000.

MUSIC AND DRAMA.

The Canuck, played last night by McKee Rankin was better than the plays we are accustomed to.

The Banjo Club is permanently organized and hard at work. The trip has not yet been decided upon.

Fabio Romani was presented Thursday but does not deserve mention. It is the dramatization of a novel called The Vendetta. The star was an elocutionist of very ordinary ability.

The U. of M. Dramatic Club will present "The Rough Diamond" and "Alone."

The following dates are taken:

Ann Arbor,

Eva Montford in Eugenie Le Tour, Nov. 5.

Gilmore's Band, Nov. 7, matinee only.

Agatha Singleton, Nov. 10—week. Repertoire. Detroit,

Ullie Akerstrom, Nov. 3-8.

Old Homestead, Nov. 3-8.

A Straight Tip, Nov. 3-5.

There are two companies at present playing the Old Homestead. One with Thompson as the star plays only in New York, Boston and Philadelphia; the other, the "road" company, with Archie Boyd in the leading part will present the play in Detroit. Of Archie Boyd we can say that he is almost, if not quite, as good as the original in the part of Joshua Whitcomb. He is so like the star that they have been able to alternate with each other in New York City, no one being able to distinguish the difference. The plot is good and embodies a sermon upon temperance and morality.

We wish to impress upon the student community the fact that the Associate Membership Tickets are now for sale at Calkins' drug store, State st., and that they may also be obtained from the canvassers whose names have appeared in our columns. Inasmuch as the first concert in the series will be given in University Hall, Nov. 1st, it is highly important that the tickets be secured immediately. It is not necessary to refer to the manner in which the Choral Union keeps faith with subscribers, the old students know, and can inform the new ones. The following is the programme, although Miss Buckley's numbers are not yet decided upon:

1. Sonate C major, op. 53.....Beethoven
2. Songs.
3. a) Gavotte D minor.....Bach
- b) Nocturne B major, Op. 9, No. 3.....} Chopin
- c) Valse, Op. 42 A flat.....}
3. Songs.
4. Fantasia C major, op. 15.....Schubert
5. Song.
- 6, Nocturne} Liszt
- Don Juan Fantasia.....}

PERSONALS.

B. E. Johnston, law '90, is located at Prall, Kan.

M. A. Mason, dent. '90, is practicing at Fort Wayne, Ind.

C. A. Wheat, '90, is on the staff of the Chicago Inter-Ocean.

Chas. Hubbard, '92, is attending Business College in Decatur, Ill.

W. L. Page, '90, is professor of Latin in the High school at Decatur, Ill.

Harry G. Ohls, '83, has been visiting at the Phi Kappa Psi House this week.

"Bonny" McMillan, an old '90 man, now on the Chicago Herald, has been in town recently.

William Carroll, law '90, is the junior member of the firm of Clement & Carroll at Independence, Mo.

Jack Miller, last year with '92, will not return this year. He is studying law at his home in Port Huron.

Martin McVoy, lit. '91, is spending this year traveling and is at present in the Sandwich Islands.

Robert E. Park, '87, at one time managing editor of the ARGONAUT, and since his graduation connected with the Minneapolis Journal is on the Detroit Times staff.

Blair, who entered with '92, and was compelled to stay out of college last year on account of his health, came back yesterday to register in the medical department.

The U. of M. is well represented at Yale this year. A. B. Stone, lit. '89, is in the law class of '91; Phelps, law '90, is a P. G. in law, and Bush, lit. '88, is in the Divinity school, class of '91.

W. E. Brownlee, '85, formerly managing editor of the ARGONAUT and for four years with the Minneapolis Journal, has now returned to Detroit, and has become managing editor of the new evening paper, the Times.

Henry Hudson, who entered here with '89, has been graduated at Harvard and is now one of the instructors in physics there. At his graduation he received honors in Political Economy, and in the October number of the Quarterly Journal of Economics, which is published for Harvard University, he has an article upon the "Southern Railway and Steamship Association."

COMMUNICATION.

NEW YORK, October 20, 1890.

EDITOR CHRONICLE-ARGONAUT:

The American Protective Tariff League offers to the undergraduate students of senior classes of colleges and universities in the United States, a series of Prizes for approved essays on "*Effect of Protection on the Purchasing Power of Wages in the United States*,"

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It is desired, but not required, that manuscripts be type written. Awards will be made June 1st, 1891, as follows:

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For the Second Best—One Hundred Dollars.

For the Third Best—Fifty Dollars.

And for other essays, deemed especially meritorious, the Silver Medal of the League will be awarded, with honorable mention of the authors in a public notice of the awards.

The League reserves the right to publish, at its own expense, any of the essays for which prizes may be awarded.

The names of Judges will be announced hereafter.

Respectfully, etc.,

EDWARD H. AMMIDOWN,

HENRY M. HOYT,

President.

• General Secretary.

ATHLETICS.

The Albion college field day games took place last Saturday.

The Albion foot ball team play the D. A. C.'s in Detroit to-day. Next week the Pittsburgh alumni team is expected there and the Dayton alumni are scheduled.

The Columbia *Spectator* recently contained a picture of O. S. Campbell, '91, Columbia, who won the tennis championship of America last summer.

In a recent number of the *Lehigh Burr*, there was a picture of Reese, who was captain of the Lehigh Lacrosse club, which won the inter collegiate championship last year.

The Purdue foot-ball team will battle with the U. of M. on the fair grounds at 2 P. M. to-day, and a good game is promised, as this is the team which has given the Chicago alumni team so much trouble.

A bicycle road race is to be held this afternoon, leaving the law building at 2 P. M., and running to Ypsilanti and back. A bicycle lamp, a gold medal, and a pair of kid gloves are offered as prizes.

The rugby game yesterday afternoon between '92 and '93 dents was full of lively scrimmages, and the juniors fought hard against defeat, their captain Diack, being severely handled. The game ended in the darkness with a score of 16 to 6.

From the advance announcement, we learn that the December number of *Outing* will contain another article by Walter Camp entitled "Foot-ball—The Details of a Defensive Play," and an account of "Athletics in Ohio Colleges," with groups and views of gymnasiums.

At their meeting last Saturday the Rugby Association directors decided to try to arrange a week's trip through Indiana. It was suggested that a hop for the benefit of the Association be given Nov. 14, the tickets to be five dollars. Field day was set for Nov. 8. The cost of a banner for the rugby championship was also discussed. At another meeting, Tuesday evening, the field day games were definitely arranged.

At last the University of Michigan has an athletic field, and she will soon have a ground as well equipped for athletic purposes, as any other of her contemporary institutions. The field contains ten acres, and lies south on State Street about one-half mile. The piece was formerly owned by J. F. Lawrence. The amount paid was \$3,000. It is not known yet just what plans have been made regarding the equipment, but the ground is in elegant condition, from last year's seeding, and we are safe in thinking that the U. of M. will soon have an elegantly equipped field.

We have received the announcement of the Amateur Race Meet, to be given by the Harvard University Cycling Association, on Holmes Field, Cambridge, Saturday, Nov. 8. The races are open to all colleges, schools, and the Boston Athletic Association. All contests will be governed by the L. A. W. rules.

The list of events for field day next Saturday are as follows: Track events—100 yds. dash, 220 yds. dash, 440 yds. dash, one-half mile run, one mile run, one mile bicycle race, one mile walk, 120 yds. hurdle. Field events—Running high jump, running broad jump, throwing hammer, putting shot, throwing base ball, passing foot ball, drop kick foot-ball, the sophomore-freshman tug-of-war. All entries must be in on or before Wednesday, Nov. 5. Entrance fee 25 cents.

The first foot-ball game played in the new inter class schedule, took place Monday afternoon on the campus, between '92 law and '93 dent. The laws were completely shut out, the result of the game being 4 to 0. The teams as they have been chosen are, '92 law: Rushers—Faber, Grant, Thompson, Rosenberry, Flint, Eberly, Bennett; quarter-back—H. B. Smith; half-backs—Leighley and Shaw; full-back—Allen. '93 dent: Rushers—Prettyman, Mitchell, James, Kreit, Spencer, McMullen, Murbean; quarter back—Leuty; half-backs—Cook and Lowry; full back—De McFae.

In the championship foot-ball game Wednesday afternoon, between '94 lit and '92 dent, '92 dents were not in it at all, the game resulting in a score of 42-0. There was plucky fighting on both sides, but from the very beginning, it was evident that the lits had the advantage. Delworth, the dent captain, had to retire on account of injuries. The teams as they played were as follows: '92 dent: Rushers—Ball, Moor, Stone, Diack, Proctor, Howson, Childs; quarter-back—Watrous; half-backs—Delworth, Slawson; full-back—Pill-beam. '94 lit: Rushers—Ward, Crown, Matson, Chadbourne, Rathbone, Drew, and McGurran; quarter-back—Hannet; half-backs—Shaw, Sherman; full-back—James.

TENNIS CHAMPIONS OF THE WORLD.

The tennis season, just completed, has been, in many respects, the most successful in the history of the game. Great interest has been shown in nearly all the countries of the world, and national

tournaments have been generally instituted. The following record gives the tennis champions of the world for 1890:

ENGLAND.

Champion W. J. Hamilton
 Lady Champion Miss Rice
 Doubles Champions J. Pim and F. O. Stoker
 Ladies' Doubles Champions
 Miss F. Steedman and Miss B. Steedman
 Ladies' and Gentlemen's Doubles Champions
 J. Baldwin and Miss K. Hill
 Covered Court Champion E. W. Lewis
 Covered Court Lady Champion Miss Jacks
 Covered Court Doubles Champions
 H. S. Scrivener and G. W. Hillyard

IRELAND.

Champion E. W. Lewis
 Lady Champion Miss Martin
 Doubles Champions J. Pim and F. O. Stoker
 Ladies' Doubles Champions Miss Martin and Miss Stannell
 Ladies' and Gentlemen's Doubles Champions
 D. G. Chaytor and Miss Martin

SCOTLAND.

Champion E. de S. H. Brown
 Lady Champion Miss Jackson
 Doubles Champions E. de S. H. Brown and G. Horn

WALES.

Champion W. J. Hamilton

UNITED STATES.

Champion O. S. Campbell
 Lady Champion Miss E. C. Roosevelt
 Doubles Champions V. G. Hall and C. Hobart

AUSTRALIA.

Champion D. Webb
 Lady Champion Miss Mayne
 Doubles Champions W. J. C. Riddell and Chomley

SOUTHERN INDIA.

Champion H. Grove

EXCHANGES.

The Harvard rowing club has now a membership of about three hundred.

The Woman's College, Baltimore, has opened with an overflowing number of students this year.

Vassar's new gymnasium is the largest building in this country, which is used exclusively for the physical culture of women.

A knock-downer for examination advocates: "In six years, 389 students of the Prussian public schools have committed suicide through fear of flunking on examinations."

Five institutions of learning controlled by the Roman Catholic church have been admitted to the New York university system, and are receiving a part of the academic fund of the state.

President Harrison, during his visit with old comrades in Galesburg, Ill., last week, laid the corner-stone of a new building for Knox College, and made a short and very appropriate address.

The students of Princeton are to publish an illustrated bi-weekly. It is to be the exponent of the best talent in the University, as a number of the positions on the staff are to be filled by competition.

Yale's professors and graduates have been prominently identified with the work of preparing the edition of Webster's Dictionary that is soon to be issued, ex-President Porter having been the chief editor.

A chair of music has been established at Yale College by the gift of \$20,000 from Mrs. Ellen Battell Eldridge. Dr. Gustave I. Stoeckel, who came to the college about the same time as President Dwight, fills the professorship.

Several exchanges present simultaneously articles on foreign Universities. Every year increases the number who go abroad for special and advanced study. This fact ought to hasten the day when we shall no longer be dependent upon foreign nations for the best facilities for research but may possess at home advantages unsurpassed by any where else.

"What do you mean by 'self-evident?'" asked President Webster, of Union College, of his mental philosophy class.

"I don't know, sir," replied the student.

"Well, I will try and illustrate," said the president. "Speaking about mythology—suppose I should ask you if there ever was such a person as the 'fool killer?'"

"I should say I don't—I never met him."

"That is 'self evident,'" said the doctor.—
Eli Perkins.

A LOVE STORY.

"O she is lovely beyond compare,

Sweetest of all things sweet," thought he;

"Proud and generous, firm and true,

He is a man of men," mused she.

"I would that she were mine," he thought;

And she, "If only this man loved me!"

Then they smiled, and bowed, and each passed on,
 And that was the end of it all, you see!

—*America.*

During the past year 162,987 volumes were added to the college libraries in this country making the total number 2,882,398.

When the new student at Johns Hopkins looks around from the piles of buildings to the busy streets on either side and asks where the campus is, he learns that it is three miles from the city, at Clinton, the old estate of the founder of the University.

SEPTEMBER.

Within thine azure eyes thy lover sees

Exquisite dreams and rapturous content,

And marvels not that happy summer, spent,
Sleeps, like a little child, against thy knees.

— *Wellesley Prelude.*

When worries and troubles surround you

Don't fret;

Go to work!

You will always have troubles around you

You bet.

If you shirk,

The world doesn't care for your woes,

Oh no,

Not a bit!

The man who is wise never shows

His foe

That he's hit.

Every one of your neighbors has griefs of his own,
He greatly prefers to let your griefs alone,
And he doesn't at all enjoy hearing you groan,
So take warning, and quit.

— *Somerville Journal.*

WHAT HURTS THE WORST.

My pater has cut me off—

Not a shilling to my name,

My tailor has sent his bill

Asking payment for the same;

My sister has just eloped

With the gardener bold from France;

And the faculty bids me leave,

Just for joining in a dance.

But these are not woes; no! nobody knows

What keeps my heart in this wild, wild whirl.

'Tis that horrible bright electric light

On the porch at the house of my best girl.

Nothing in this country more astonishes an English university-bred man than our college yells. He never takes the practice as an American fun, but seriously sets to work to prove how even educated Americans follow the customs of the savage Indians, his war-whoop being perpetuated in the college yell.—*Mail and Express.*

An inter-fraternity convention will be held in New York this fall by a large number of Greek fraternities, for the purpose of adopting measures which will tend to elevate the standing of Greek Letter Societies. Among the questions for consideration is that of expulsion. It is intended to adopt a method by which men who have ever been expelled or who have ever resigned from one fraternity will be ineligible for membership in any other.

The summer months have come and gone and with them the long vacation; the fall and winter months are coming on, and with them the burdensome query, how shall the exchange man make his columns original and readable? How much clipped matter shall he use, how many notices make, how many and how harsh criticisms hurl, how many and how great commendations give? 'Tis such vexed questions that weary the unused brain of the editor just from his vacation. And what can he, poor fellow, do beneath their weight! He can but yield and do his best.

AMUSEMENTS.

P. S. Gilmore, the genius of the great Boston jubilees, is coming to Ann Arbor with his great band. Nearly everybody will remember the great Boston jubilees which took place after the war. Mr. P. S. Gilmore conceived the idea of paying a monster musical tribute to the consummation of the peace of the nation, and in 1869 gave the National Peace Jubilee, with a band of 1,000 pieces and a chorus of several thousand voices made up from the various states. This was such a grand success that he conceived another, on a grander scale, which took place in 1872, celebrating the peace then existing between all nations. This was the most gigantic festival ever held upon earth, and comprised a band of 2,500 pieces, including five of the best bands of the Old World, and a chorus of 20,000 singers, the entire attendance being 100,000

people. Gilmore conceived both of these, and organized and conducted them. Since that time Mr. Gilmore has easily maintained his world wide fame as the most able and enterprising of leaders and has constantly delighted the people of the whole country with the indescribable grandeur of the playing of his exceedingly brilliant organization. The concert will take place at the grand opera house, Friday afternoon, Nov. 7th, and not only will the splendid music of the band be listened to, but many of its skillful soloists will be heard, and also the singing of two eminent vocal artists, Miss Ida Klein, who is accredited with having the sweetest kind of a soprano voice, and Edward O'Mahony, a remarkable bass, quite noted as the great Irish American basso.

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We are Mrs. Combs' lawyers and by her seeing our advertisement became the agents of her good fortune. We have a number of similar claims in our hands and expect to gain them. If your ancestors came from the old country write us and inclose 25 cents for reply. There are more than half a billion dollars in Great Britain, unclaimed, which rightly belong to people in the United States. EUROPEAN CLAIMS AGENCY, 59 Pearl st., New York.

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